

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. (1946)

January 26, 2005

David Mark Nelson, Treasurer Libertarian National Committee 2600 Virginia Ave NW, Suite 100 Washington, DC 20037

Response Due Date: February 25, 2005

Identification Number: C00255695

Reference: Amended 30-Day Post-General Report (10/14/04-11/22/04), received

12/15/04

Dear Mr. Nelson:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. An adequate response must be received at the Commission by the response date noted above. An itemization of the information needed follows:

-Line 21(b) of the Detailed Summary Page of your report discloses a total of \$132,299.46 in operating expenditures. The sum of the entries itemized on Schedule B, however, indicates the total to be \$137,200.46. Please amend your report to clarify the discrepancy.

-Your report discloses a possible in-kind contribution on Schedule B, supporting line 23 of your report. If this entry is an in-kind contribution, please provide the name, office sought (i.e. House, Senate or President), state, and district, if applicable, for the recipient candidate. Please amend your report to clarify this entry.

-Please clarify all expenditures made for "Telemarketing," "Printing," "postage," "Advertising," "Mailing" and "Cabel TV" on Schedule(s) B. If a portion or all of these expenditures were made on behalf of specifically identified federal candidates, this amount should be disclosed on Schedules B, E or F supporting Lines 23, 24 or 25 and include the amount, name, address and office sought by each candidate. 11 CFR §§104.3(b) and 106.1

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-For future filings, please note that your committee should delete erroneously entered data entirely rather than using negative entries to offset the receipt or disbursement entered.

-Please note that payments towards debts owed by or owed to your committee should be entered in the "payment this period" field, rather than entered as a new debt with a negative balance.

Unlike previous election cycles, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. Adequate responses received on or before this date will be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered. Failure to provide an adequate response by this date may result in an audit of the committee. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action.

Electronic filers must file amendments (to include statements, designations and reports) in an electronic format and must submit an amended report in its entirety, rather than just those portions of the report that are being amended. If you should have any questions regarding this matter or wish to verify the adequacy of your response, please contact me on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 5 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or my local number (202) 694-1394.

Sincerely,

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